



# Lostock Gralam Church of England Primary School

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Newsletter 11

Date: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2019

## Messages from Mrs Powell:

- Thank you so much to everyone who donated to Children In Need, we raised £270 which is fantastic. Thank you to William and Faith for your brilliant help!

### • Christmas Fair – please read this from Donna North – Friends Chair

It's that time of year when all the shops start playing Christmas songs, the adverts all take on that festive feeling and channel 5 trot out all the low budget Christmas films they can find. With this in mind we're starting Christmas early too and on Wednesday the 27th we will brighten up a dull November's evening with festive merriment. With light up wands, glasses and bracelets you can shine bright to the disco music. You could even treat yourself to a glitter tattoo or eye wrap.

You won't go hungry with hot food available. There will be plenty of sweets to get you in the mood for celebration and we have a stall of Marks and Spencer's cakes to treat your taste buds.

Father Christmas is available to meet in our outdoor Santa's grotto, he is excited to meet you all and has little gift for everyone. There will be a few other guests throughout the fair who will make this a night to remember!

There are Christmas crafts which would make excellent presents or decoration over the festive periods.

The Year 6 children will be leading fun games throughout the event. We will have entertainment from the school choir and musical theatre group.

It is set to be a fabulous event with all proceeds being spent on our school and our children.

We want to give our fair a Christmas market feel and will be holding the fair outdoors, so wrap up warm!!!!

- **On-line safety** – We have talked to the children about what they are watching online and how to be responsible for their activity online. Each class has also completed a lesson on internet safety.
- **Christingle** – This year Mr Cliff will lead our Christingle service at 2.00pm in Church on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November, space is limited but families are very welcome!

## Things that have made me smile this week:

- Luciana in Owls sharing her brilliant maths.
- Tia in Toucans for her wonderful poetry writing.
- Tilley from Goldfinches sharing her great writing and being so proud.
- Riley from Goldfinches sharing the improvement he has made in his writing this term.
- Jack from Goldfinches sharing his amazing handwriting.
- Having a brilliant talk about army life following our remembrance day service from Mr. Marshall.
- Alex from Skylarks for representing our school brilliantly at Kelsall School's art event.

	Praise children for fantastic work	'Top Table' children for wonderful manners at lunchtime
<b>Owls (Reception)</b>	Megan and Josph O	Luciana and Arija
<b>Starlings (Y1)</b>	Jacob H and Freddie	Ethen and Bobby V
<b>Swallows (Y2)</b>	Destinee-Leigh and Amy	Jessica and Erica
<b>Robins (Y3)</b>	Grace I and Tobias	William K and Edward
<b>Goldfinches (Y4)</b>	Jack and Alex	Joshua and Robyn
<b>Skylarks (Y5)</b>	Macauley and Isla	Jack and Theo
<b>Toucans (Y6)</b>	Izzy and Scarlet	Ruby and Liam



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## Next week's diary dates:

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November** – Starlings out at Manchester Museum for Science and Industry

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November** – Christmas Fair see message from Donna North (our Friends Chair)

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November** – Christingle led by Mr Cliff in Church. This year, Christingle will be for the whole school at 2.00pm – families welcome!

## Church diary dates:

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November** – Autumn Fair in the Church Hall 11:30am-2.00pm.

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November** – Installation and Collation of Reverend Andrew Ridley as Vicar of St. Helen's Witton and Priest-in-Charge of Lostock Gralam Parish at St. Helen's Church at 4.00pm.

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Please help your child to decide what they should have for their lunch each day.

Please visit our school's e-safety webpage for access to up-to-date articles, tips, expert advice and resources designed to help parents keep up with what their children are doing online.

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